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Attorney Docket No. 7372/80998

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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the nonprovisional, noncontinuing patent application for:) March 26, 2004

Title: ETHYLENE COPOLYMER)

First Named Inventor: ISEKI et al.)

31 pages of the specification (including claims & Abstract) are enclosed.

 sheet(s) of drawings are enclosed. Formal Informal

An executed Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney naming the actual inventors is enclosed.

The names of persons believed to be the actual inventors are set forth in the enclosed unexecuted Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney (§ 1.41(a) and § 1.53(b)).

Assignee: Sumitomo Chemical Company, Ltd.

A check in the amount of \$ to cover the fee for recording the assignment is enclosed.

The Recordation Form Cover Sheet includes authorization to charge our Deposit Account for recording the assignment.

A 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) statement is enclosed where an assignee seeks to take action.

An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.

A Form PTO/SB/08 is enclosed.

1 References (copies) listed as foreign patent documents or non-patent literature on Form PTO/SB/08 (37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)) are enclosed.

- A Return Receipt Postcard is enclosed (MPEP §503).
- Priority of application number 2003-090847 filed on March 28, 2003 in Japan is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
 - A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.
- A Computer Program Listing Appendix is enclosed.
 - A Transmittal Cover Letter for Computer Program Listing Appendix is enclosed.
 - Two (2) Compact Discs are enclosed.
- A Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission is enclosed.
 - A Computer Readable Copy is enclosed.
 - A Paper Copy (Identical to Computer Copy) is enclosed.
 - A Statement Verifying Identity of above Copies is enclosed.
- The filing fee is calculated below:

Fee Calculation For Claims As Filed

Basic Fee					\$ 770.00	
Independent Claims	2	-	3	=	0	x \$ 86.00 = \$ 0.00
Total Claims	4	-	20	=	0	x \$ 18.00 = \$ 0.00
Fee for Multiply Dependent Claims					\$ 290.00	\$ 290.00
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Also enclosed: Application Data Sheet

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